AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

- 1. (Currently Amended) A fungicidal mixture, comprising as active components
- (1) a benzamideoxime derivative compound of the formula I

where the substituent and the index may have the following meanings: $R \ is \ hydrogen, \ halogen, \ C_1 - C_4 - alkyl, \ C_1 - C_4 - haloalkyl, \ C_1 - C_4 - alkoxy \ or \ C_1 - C_4 - haloalkoxy$ $n \ is \ 1, \ 2 \ or \ 3,$

and

(2) a benzophenone of the formula II,

$$R^1$$
 O CH_3 CH_3 CCH_3 CCH_3

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in which

R¹ is chlorine, methyl, methoxy, acetoxy, pivaloyloxy or hydroxyl;

R² is chlorine or methyl;

R³ is hydrogen, halogen or methyl; and

 R^4 is C_1 - C_6 -alkyl or benzyl, where the phenyl moiety of the benzyl radical may carry a halogen or methyl substituent, and

(3) epoxiconazole of the formula III

in a synergistically effective amount.

- 2. (Currently Amended) A <u>The</u> fungicidal mixture as claimed in claim 1, furthermore comprising
- (4) pyraclostrobin of the formula IV

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4. (Currently Amended) A <u>The</u> fungicidal mixture as claimed in any of claims 1 or 2 to 3, where in the formula II

R¹ is methoxy, acetoxy or hydroxyl,

R² is methyl,

R³ is hydrogen, chlorine or bromine, and

 R^4 is C_1 - C_4 -alkyl.

5. (Currently Amended) A fungicidal mixture as claimed in claim 4, where in wherein the formula II

R¹ is methoxy,

R², R⁴ are methyl and

R³ is bromine

6. (Currently Amended) A <u>The</u> fungicidal mixture as claimed in claim 1, where the weight ratio of the benzamideoxime derivative compound of the formula I to the benzamenone

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of the formula II and the epoxiconazole of the formula III is from 20:1:1 to 1:20:20.

- 7. (Original) A method for controlling harmful fungi, which comprises treating the harmful fungi, their habitat, or the plants, seeds, soils, areas, materials or spaces to be kept free from them with the fungicidal mixture as claimed in claim 1.
- 8. (Currently Amended) A <u>The</u> method as claimed in claim 7, which comprises applying the compounds of the formulae I, II and III as set forth in claim 1 simultaneously, that is either together or separately, or in succession.
- 9. (Currently Amended) A <u>The</u> method as claimed in claim 7 or 8, wherein the fungicidal mixture or the compounds of the formulae I, II and III are applied in an amount of from 0.01 to 8 kg/ha.
- 10. (Currently Amended) A <u>The</u> fungicidal composition, comprising the fungicidal mixture as claimed in claim 1 and a solid or liquid carrier.
- 11. (New) A method for controlling harmful fungi, which comprises treating the harmful fungi, their habitat, or the plants, seeds, soils, areas, materials or spaces to be kept free from them with the fungicidal mixture as claimed in claim 5.

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12. (New) The method as claimed in claim 11, which comprises applying the compounds of the formulae I, II and III simultaneously, that is either together or separately, or in succession.

- 13. (New) The method as claimed in claim 11 or 12, wherein the fungicidal mixture or the compounds of the formulae I, II and III are applied in an amount of from 0.01 to 8 kg/ha.
- 14. (New) A fungicidal composition, comprising the fungicidal mixture as claimed in claim 5 and a solid or liquid carrier.

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